SOUTHERN IRISH TERRIER SOCIETY

Schedule of 16 Class MEMBERS ONLY LIMITED SHOW

UNBENCHED – SINGLE BREED

(CHALLENGE CERTIFICATE/ CAC / CACIB / GREEN STAR WINNERS ARE **NOT** ELIGIBLE FOR ENTRY)

(To be held under Kennel Club Rules & Show Regulations)

AT STEVENTON VILLAGE HALL
THE GREEN STEVENTON, OXON, OX13 6RR

On Sunday 6th December 2026

A dog docked on or after the 6 April 2007 may not be entered for exhibition at this show.

JUNIOR HANDLING

AGM: 10.00 am Show Opens: 11.00 am Judging 12.00 noon

JUDGE – Mrs Harriet Bye

The Judge at this show agrees to abide by the following statement:
"In assessing dogs, Judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and wellbeing of the dog."

Jurisdiction and responsibilities

The Officers and Committee members of the society holding the licence are deemed responsible for organising and conducting the show safely and in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of The Kennel Club and agree to abide by and adopt any decision of the Board or any authority to whom the Board may delegate its powers subject to the conditions of Regulation F17. In so doing those appointed as officers and committee members accept that they are jointly and severally responsible for the organisation of the show and that this is a binding undertaking (vide Kennel Club General Show Regulations F4 and F5).

ENTRIES TO BE SENT TO: MRS J ATKIN, 22 PIKE DRIVE, WHITTLESEY, PETERBOROUGH, CAMBS., PE7 2JF

The Society will ensure to the best of its ability that the event is run to Covid Safe guidelines. It is your responsibility to ensure you comply with national and local restrictions including advice given about non-essential travel in and out of locally affected regions (which must not be ignored) – in the interests of the safety of all participants this may give rise to a short notice refusal of entry at the society's discretion. The Kennel Club will respect the society's exercise of its discretion.

If a competitor, or anyone in their household, has Covid-19 related symptoms or has tested positive for Covid-19 they must isolate in line with Government advice - www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/self-isolation-and-treatment/when-to-self-isolate-and-what-to-do/. The competitor must not attend the event

VETERINARY SURGEON ON CALL:
The Brook Veterinary Surgery, Station Approach, High Street, Steventon, Oxon, RG7 6JU. Tel: 01189 745040

SOUTHERN IRISH TERRIER SOCIETY

PATRON: Mrs L Jackson

CHAIRMAN: Mr I Bamsey **VICE CHAIR:** Mrs J Simons
SECRETARY: Mr J Nevill **TREASURER:** Mrs C Bamsey

COMMITTEE:

Mrs J Atkin, Miss M Bradshaw, Mrs A Karau,
Mrs S McConnell, Miss M Ruffles, Miss M Thomas,
Miss M Williamson, Mrs S York.

~ PRIZES & ROSETTES ON OFFER ~

ROSETTES

· 1ST – 5TH IN EACH CLASS ·





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CUPS & TROPHIES



Please note that Cups & Trophies will be available this year.
A £10.00 refundable deposit will be required.



GRAND RAFFLE
50% of which will go to Rescue.
Suitable prizes would be very welcome.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1 The show will open at 11.00 am. (**AGM WILL COMMENCE AT 10.00 am)**
2. **ARRIVAL OF DOGS:** Dogs will be received at any time, but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 12.00 noon.
4. **REMOVAL OF DOGS:** Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. The Show will close half an hour after all judging has been completed by which time all dogs must be removed.
5. **COOKING STOVES:** The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. **ENTRY FEES:** MEMBERS ONLY £8.00 first entry for each dog & £3.00 for each subsequent entry with the same dog. Not For Competition £2.00 per dog. Pre-paid catalogue £2.50 or. £3.00 on the day.
7. **PRIZE MONEY:** There is no prize money on offer at this show.
8. **REFUSAL OF ENTRIES:** The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. **A) BABY PUPPIES:** For Dogs of Four and not exceeding Six calendar months on day of Show **only eligible to be shown in the baby puppy classes.**
   B) PUPPIES: Puppies are dogs of six calendar months of age and not exceeding 12 calendar months on the day of the show.
10. **MATING OF BITCHES:** **The mating of bitches within the precincts of the show is forbidden.**
11. **BEST PUPPY IN SHOW:** Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Show. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically

be Best Puppy in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.

12. **BEST VETERAN IN SHOW:** Where a Best Veteran in Show competition is scheduled the Best Veteran in Show is a Veteran which has competed and is unbeaten by any other Veteran exhibited at the same show. A Veteran is a dog of at least seven years of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best in Show is a Veteran it should automatically be awarded Best Veteran in Show. Where the Reserve Best in Show is a Veteran which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Veteran in Show. Consequently, selection of Best Veteran in Show must follow the selection of Best in Show.
13. **BEST IN SHOW:** Best in Show must be selected from exhibits declared Best of Sex. If a Reserve Best in Show is to be selected, the eligible dogs are those declared Best Opposite Sex and Reserve Best of Sex to the exhibit declared Best in Show.

    WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITION: Dogs which become eligible for Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than Breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competitions for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition.

    PROVISO: For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dogs, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confirmed to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.
14. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
15. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them nor handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. This is not

acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F11.16. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

17. All dog's resident outside the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
18. **DOGS IN VEHICLES ON HOT DAYS**

    Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts traveling to and whilst at KC licensed events.

    a) When traveling to a Show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the Show is on a busy holiday route and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
    b) If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether traveling to the Show is a good idea at all.
    c) The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
    d) Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free-flowing air around the dog.
    e) When at the Show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
    f) Keep the dog in the shade – take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
    g) Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time. Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare.

    WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK, FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE

NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.

Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations.

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20. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
21. No modifications will be made to the schedule except by permission of the Board of The Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine press wherever possible.

DEFINITION OF CLASSES

Wins at Championship shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows.

In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society.

In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e., 7th November 2026.

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering in Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. First prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options: -

(1) Withdrawal

The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulation F (1)19.

(2) Transfer

a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.

b) For an exhibit entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy Class, Puppy Class or Junior Class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or twenty-four calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy Class, Junior Class or Yearling Class respectively for the correct colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling Class to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight or height.

c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open class for the correct colour, sex, weight and height.

d) If an exhibit arrives late and misses a class, even if it is the only class in which the dog is entered, the dog may not be transferred to any other class

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PUPPY: For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show..

JUNIOR: For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.
BEGINNERS: For owner, handler or exhibit not having won a first prize at a Championship show.
NOVICE: For dogs which have not won three or more First Prizes at any Show (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special Puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).
POST GRADUATE: For dogs which have not won five or more First Prizes at Championship and Open Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open classes, whether restricted or not.
LIMIT: For dogs which have not won seven or more First Prizes in all, at Open and Championship Shows in Limit and Open classes, confined to the breed, whether restricted or not.
OPEN: For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.
VETERAN: For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.
NOT FOR COMPETITION: Societies may at their discretion, accept Not For Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society

CLASSIFICATION

JUDGE – Mrs Harriet Bye

Junior Handling will be Judged before show

1 BABY PUPPY DOG 2 BABY PUPPY BITCH

BEST BABY PUPPY WILL NOW BE JUDGED

(not eligible for best dog or bitch or best in show)

3 BEGINNERS DOG OR BITCH
4 VETERAN DOG OR BITCH

5 PUPPY DOG	11 PUPPY BITCH
6 JUNIOR DOG	12 JUNIOR BITCH
7 NOVICE DOG	13 NOVICE BITCH
8 POST GRADUATE DOG	14 POST GRADUATE BITCH
9 LIMIT DOG	15 LIMIT BITCH
10 OPEN DOG	16 OPEN BITCH
Best Dog Will be Judged	**Best Bitch will be Judged**

SPECIAL STAKES CLASS (Entry Fee £2.00) – This will take place during the lunch break with entries taken on the day or on main show entry form. For this class dogs, do not need to be in show trim. Dogs must be over 6 calendar months of age **(Further details see page 14)**

~ SHOW INFORMATION ~

ENTRY FEES:

First Entry @ £8.00 per Dog
All Subsequent Entries for Members @ £3.00 per Dog

NOT FOR COMPETITION: @ £2.00 per Dog
(Dogs accepted NFC: Full KC details must be given on the Entry Form.)

MEMBERSHIP FEES:

Joining Fee: £2.00 Annual Subscription: Single £6.00/Joint £8.00

CATALOGUES: £2.50 – **MUST** be pre-paid and ordered on the entry form. ONLY A SMALL NUMBER WILL BE AVAILABLE ON THE DAY @ £3.00

REGULATIONS FOR THE PREPARATION OF DOGS FOR EXHIBITION F(B)

1 These regulations must be observed when a dog is prepared for exhibition and/or exhibited at any Kennel Club Licensed event. Objections may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under these Show Regulations and/or for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rule A42.

a) A dog found to have been exhibited in breach of these regulations will automatically be disqualified from exhibition at the Show and from any award gained there.

b) Unless the exhibitor provides a satisfactory explanation for the dog being exhibited in breach of these regulations, he/she may be subject to further penalties of either a fine or as listed under rule A42.

2 a) No substance which alters the natural colour, texture or body of the coat may be present in the dog's coat for any purpose at any time during the Show. No substance which alters the natural colour of any external part of the dog may be present on the dog for any purpose at any time during the Show.

b) Any other substance (other than water) which may be used in the preparation of a dog for exhibition must not be allowed to remain in the coat or on any other part of the dog at the t 8 exhibition.

3 No act or operation which alters the natural conformation of a dog, or any part thereof may be performed except: -

a) Operations certified to the satisfaction of the General Committee.

b) The removal of dew claws of any Breed.

c) Operations to prevent breeding provided that such operations are notified to the Kennel Club before neutered dogs are shown.

Nor must anything be done calculated to in the opinion of the General Committee to deceive.

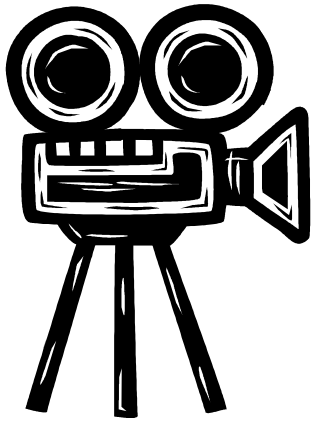
4 The General Committee without previous notice may order an examination of any dog or dogs at any Show. Any examination thus ordered will be made by a person having executive authority who shall have a written directive from The Kennel Club in their possession. Samples may be taken for further examination and analysis.

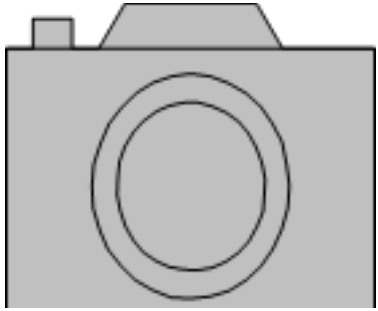
5 An individual has the right to lodge an objection to a dog only if he/she is the owner or handler of a dog competing in the same breed or class. An objection may, however, be lodged by an official of the Show or by anyone so deputed by The Kennel Club. It will be the responsibility of the individual who lodges the objection or the official (as appropriate) to substantiate the grounds for the objection. The Kennel Club will substantiate the grounds for an objection made on its behalf.

6 Any objection by an individual related to an infringement of these Regulations must be made in writing to the Show Secretary at his/her office before the close of the Show and the individual must produce evidence of identity at the time of lodging the complaint.

PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEO RIGHTS

The Organisers would like to bring the regulation on photography and filming to the attention of Exhibitors, Trade Stands, Press and Visitors. It is a condition of all those attending the event that no filming or other form of recording may be taken or made at the venue without the express written permission of the Organisers. The taking of photographs in the Show Venue for sale or reward is strictly prohibited except with the written permission of the Organisers. Press accredited Photographers are provided with permission to take photographs **ONLY** for the use in Newspapers, Magazines & Internet Sites – this is for news purposes only. There is no objection to the General Public taking photographs of general views of the Show, provided that these are for private use. Specific dogs may be photographed only with the approval of the Exhibitor. No photographs or filming is permitted in Breed Judging Rings whilst Judging is taking place. However, Judges may allow it to happen at the end of Classes or after the Best of Sex is awarded. Filming and flash photography is allowed from outside the rings at all times unless the operation of the camera is affecting Exhibits. However, if a powerful flash unit is used or it is clear that Exhibits are being affected, a Ring Steward or the Judge is empowered to stop the Person concerned.





NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE

SOUTHERN IRISH TERRIER SOCIETY



TO BE HELD AT
STEVENTON VILLAGE HALL, THE GREEN,
STEVENTON, OXON, OX13 6RR
ON SUNDAY 6th DECEMBER 2026

The Kennel Club requests that all dogs in soft cages are **NOT** left unattended at any time, for safety reasons.

PLEASE NOTE: that all cages/crates are correctly and clearly labelled with exhibitors contact information or ring number

NO SMOKING or VAPING IN THE HALL



Visit our Website/Facebook for details on membership, show results
And much much more ……

Website: www.southernirishterriers.co.uk
Facebook: Southern Irish Terrier Society



FURTHER COPIES OF THIS SCHEDULE AND ENTRY FORM CAN ALSO BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE WEBSITE

~ IMPORTANT NOTICES ~

DOGS AND BITCHES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT ANY TIME BUT IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE EXHIBITOR THAT EXHIBITS ARE AVAILABLE WHEN REQUIRED



PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU EXERCISE DOGS IN THE PERMITTED AREA AND CLEAN UP ANY FOULING BY DOGS IN THEIR CHARGE







REFRESHMENTS

Available all day
(except during AGM)





SPECIAL STAKES CLASS – These will take place during the lunch break. Please support these classes enter on the main show entry form, also can be taken on the day of the show Don't be afraid to enter, there will be plenty of experienced exhibitors to ask for help and advice.

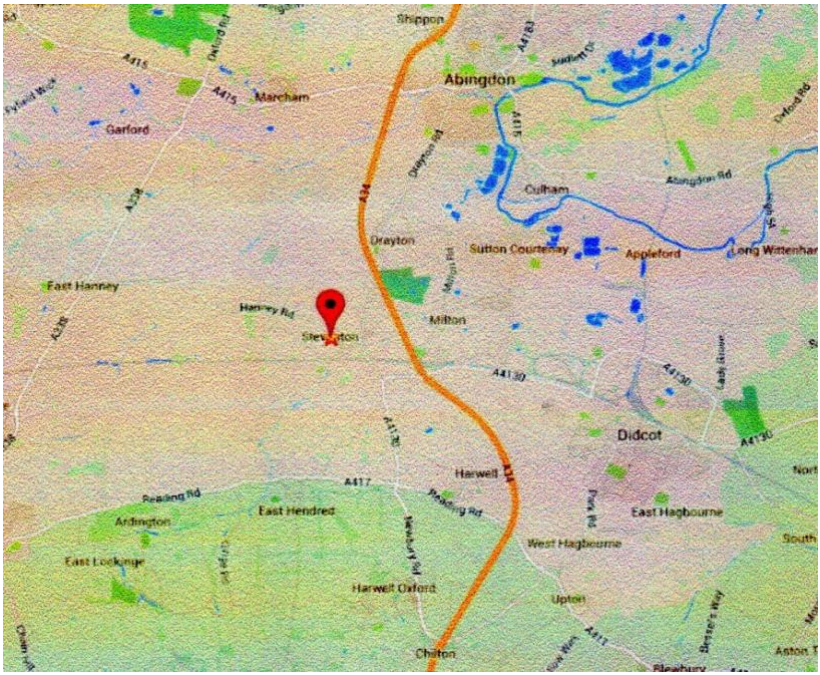
Judge- Mr Andrew Case

Why not come along and give it ago?

Class 17 - JUNIOR For junior dog or bitch
Class 18 – LIMIT Dog or Bitch
Class 19 – OPEN Dog or Bitch

For definition of classes see main show entry criteria
Proceeds from these classes to go to Rescue

HOW TO FIND STEVENTON VILLAGE HALL
THE GREEN, OXON, OX13 6RR



FROM THE **M40**: TAKE JUNCTION **9** ONTO THE **A34** IN THE DIRECTION OF OXFORD. STAY ON **A34** PAST OXFORD AND ABINGDON. LEAVE **A34** AT THE MILTON INTERCHANGE AND TKE THE **A4130** TO STEVENTON VILLAGE. THE HALL IS BY THE GREEN.

FROM THE **M4**: TAKE JUNCTION **13** ON TO THE **A34** TOWARDS ABINGDON AND OXFORD, LEAVE AT THE MILTON INTERCHANGE AND TAKE **A4130** TO STEVENTON VILLAGE (long before you reach Abingdon of Oxford). HEAD TO THE VILLAGE CENTRE AND THE HALL IS BY THE GREEN.

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